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In re Patent Application of:
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For: IRON TYPE GOLF CLUB SET

Examiner: S. L. Blau

RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated December 5, 2005, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes: Remarks

REMARKS

Claims 1-7 are pending in the above-identified application.

Election Requirement

The present application has been subjected to an Election Requirement as follows:

- (a) Species 1 (Figures 1-3); and
- (b) Species 2 (Figures 8-10).

Election Response

In response to the above-noted Election Requirement, applicants hereby elect Species 1, i.e. Figures 1-3, with a traversal. All of claims 1-7 read on Species 1.

Request for Withdraw of Election Requirement


It is respectfully requested that the above-noted Election Requirement be withdrawn. In addition, applicants request that upon identification of allowable subject matter that the search and examination of the subject matter of the present application extend to include the subject matter of presently non-elected Species 2, i.e. Figures 8-10.

If any questions arise in the above matters, please contact Applicant's representative, Andrew D. Meikle (Reg. No. 32,868), in the Washington Metropolitan Area at the phone number listed below.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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